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APPLICANT(S): Woon-Seong YEO

FILED: April 6, 1998 EXAMINER: Unknown

## LARGE ENTITY TRANSMITTAL FORM

April 30, 1998

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT			HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL	20	-	20	=	-0-		\$ 22	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT	4	-	3	=	-1-		\$ 82	\$82.00
___ FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE CLAIM							\$270	\$
							TOTAL	\$82.00

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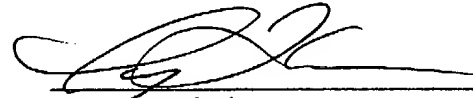
- ☐ Petition for \_\_\_\_\_ month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a).  
\$\_\_\_\_\_ for the extension of time.
- ☐ No fee is required.
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$82.00 is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of  
\$\_\_\_\_\_. This form is submitted in triplicate.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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FOR: OPTICAL DISC HAVING VARIABLE SPARE AREA  
RATES AND METHOD FOR VARIABLY SETTING THE  
RATE OF SPARE AREAS IN THE OPTICAL DISC

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

April 30, 1998

Dear Sir:

Preliminary to the examination of the above-identified application, please  
amend the subject application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

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✓  
Line 8, change "area" to --areas--.

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Line 9, delete "for minimizing a defect occurring rate by variably affording  
distributed".